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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 313218

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE OCT 06 2020

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO DETERMINING THAT AUTHORIZATION FOR THE EXECUTION OF CONTRACT NO. 10071380-17-M OPTION YEARS WITH WESTTURF LANDSCAPE MANAGEMENT, INC. AND THE ASSOCIATED EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE, IMPROVEMENTS, AND ACTIVITIES WITHIN THE CARMEL VALLEY MAINTENANCE ASSESSMENT DISTRICT IS CATEGORICALLY EXEMPT FROM THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT PURSUANT TO CEQA GUIDELINES SECTION 15031.

WHEREAS, the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) (Public Resources Code section 21000 et seq.), section 21084, states that the CEQA Guidelines thereto (California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Chapter 3, Section 15000 et seq.) shall list those classes of projects which have been determined not to have a significant effect on the environment and which shall be exempt from CEQA; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to that authority, CEQA Guidelines sections 15300-15333 list the categorical exemptions promulgated by the California Office of Planning and Research and adopted by the Secretary of the California Natural Resources Agency for those classes of Projects which have been determined not to have a significant effect on the environment; and

WHEREAS, the City of San Diego (City)'s Parks and Recreation Department, Open Space Division, currently administers certain Maintenance Assessment Districts (MADs) located throughout the City, including the Carmel Valley Maintenance Assessment District (District); and

WHEREAS, the City desires to authorize the execution of an agreement in accordance with Solicitation No. 10071380-17-M (Contract) with Westturf Landscape Management, Inc. (Contractor) for Contractor to provide landscape maintenance, improvements, and activities within the District, including care and cleaning of street medians, parkway landscaping, sidewalks, curbs, gutters, brow ditches, landscaped slopes, greenbelts, and open space easement areas, and regular maintenance tasks such as litter removal, sweeping, edging, trimming, weeding, and related functions (Project); and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of San Diego (City Council) has considered the potential environmental effects of the Project; and

WHEREAS, the City Council held a duly noticed public meeting and considered the written record for the Project as well as public comment; and

WHEREAS, the City Council, using its independent judgment, has determined that the Project will not have a significant effect on the environment because the landscape maintenance, improvements, and activities in the District involve care and cleaning of existing facilities, minor repairs and alternations, and regular maintenance tasks and related functions with negligible or no expansion of existing uses; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

1. The Project is categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15301, and an exception to the exemption does not apply.

2. The City Council has determined that an exception to the exemption as set forth in CEQA Guidelines section 15300.2 does not apply. APPROVED: MARA W. ELLIOTT, City Attorney /s/ Daphne Z. Skogen By Daphne Z. Skogen **Deputy City Attorney** DZS:soc 09/15/2020 Or.Dept:Park & Rec. Doc. No.: 2477315 I certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of 9/29/2020 **ELIZABETH S. MALAND** City Clerk /s/ Matthew R. Hilario Deputy City Cles Vetoed: (date) KEVIN L. FAULCONER, Mayor

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